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10. English Translation Document (if applicable)
11. a. Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) & PTO-1449 (Total Pages 3)
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2. CLAIMS

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112	920*	112	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	_____
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117	950	217	475	Extension for response within third month	_____
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119	310	219	155	Notice of Appeal	_____
120	310	220	155	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	_____
121	270	221	135	Request for oral hearing	_____
138	1,510	138	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	_____
140	110	240	55	Petition to revive unavoidably abandoned application	_____
141	1,320	241	660	Petition to revive unintentionally abandoned application	_____
142	1,320	242	660	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	_____
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METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR SYNCHRONIZING A NETWORK LINK

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Respectfully submitted,

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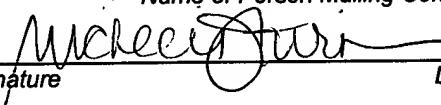
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 Appeal Brief (pgs.) (in triplicate) Month(s) Extension of Time Amt: \$790.00
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